

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 3, 8 and 10 as follows. Claims 1, 3, 8 and 10 are presented below in their amended form. The amendments to the above-noted claims are outlined in an Attachment to the Amendment using the conventional indication method of bracketing and underlining.

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1. (Amended) An electromagnetic actuator having a coil on which current is applied, a magnet that forms a magnetic circuit between its poles across a magnetic gap with a magnet yoke, a diaphragm that vibrates by magnetic action when a high-frequency current is applied and a vibration plate that vibrates by magnetic action when a low-frequency current is applied, with the coil positioned within the magnetic gap and the coil, the magnet, the magnet yoke, the diaphragm, and the vibration plate are accommodated in a basket, in which the magnet is radially arrayed and positioned with its north and south poles parallel to the diaphragm and the vibration plate.

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3. (Amended) An electromagnetic actuator as described in claim 1 or 2 above, in which a cover of the basket is used as magnetic shielding.

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8. (Amended) An electromagnetic actuator having a coil on which current is applied, a magnet that forms a magnetic circuit between its poles across a magnetic gap with a magnet yoke, a diaphragm that vibrates by magnetic action when a high-frequency current is applied and a vibration plate that vibrates by magnetic action when a low-frequency current is applied with the coil positioned within the magnetic gap and the coil, the magnet, the magnet yoke, the diaphragm, and the vibration plate are accommodated in a basket, in which the vibration plate, is supported within the basket by an elastic piece that presses against the surface of an outer rim of the vibration plate.

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10. (Amended) An electromagnetic actuator having a coil on which current is applied, a magnet that forms a magnetic circuit between its poles across a magnetic gap with a